

SENATE BILL 1588

By Herron

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4,
Chapter 7, Part 1 and Title 38, Chapter 8, Part 1,
relative to equipment for law enforcement officers.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 4-7-107, is amended by adding the following language as new subsection (d):

(d) All members of the Tennessee highway patrol when on duty in patrol vehicles shall be provided with a safety device for use in any necessary water rescue.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 38, Chapter 8, Part 1, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

§ 38-8-119. All police officers when on duty in patrol vehicles shall be provided with a safety device for use in any necessary water rescue.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, the public welfare requiring it.